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WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

Fair.
THE METALS.
Silver, 54c per ounce.
Copper (cathodes), 13 1/2c per pound.
Lead, 4 1/2c per 100 pounds.

AMUSEMENTS TODAY.

Orpheum—Matinee and night, vaudeville.
Grand—Night, "The Belle of Richmond."
Lyric—Cameraphone.

THE LAST RESORT.

When the last defense of a criminal monopoly is battered down, when it is proposed to enact laws which shall wipe out special privilege and restore the rights of the individual in business as well as in government, the monopolist takes refuge behind the cry that the proposed legislation is socialistic. It is, therefore, most edifying to find Mr. Taft denouncing that part of the Democratic platform regarding the criminal trusts as Socialistic, assuming as his own the exact plea of the criminal corporations as an excuse for Republican failure to exterminate monopoly.

Mr. Bryan in his Indianapolis speech on this point calls attention to a patent fact when he says that Republican policies have done more than anything else to promote socialism in this country. The Socialist argues that government ownership of the agencies of production and distribution would lead to the ideal state, because it would eliminate competition, do away with the middleman and obviate the necessity for such incidental costs as interest on capital and profits to stockholders. The trust argues that consolidation cheapens production and eliminates the unnecessary factors due to competition. The Socialist regards the workings of the trust as a perfect demonstration of his theory, although under our government the saving in cost goes to the monopolist as additional profits.

In theory Socialism is the exact antipodes of Democracy. One would submerge the individual and individualism in the state; the other would exalt the individual. Socialism would make the government everything; Democracy would proceed on the theory that the individual and his welfare can be developed only by a minimum of governmental activity. Nothing could be further from Jeffersonian Democracy than Socialism.

Either through ignorance or dishonesty, the Republicans seek to identify any effort to restore to the individual his proper place in the state with the Socialist's ideal, which would sacrifice the man to the state. Under the fostering protection of a Republican tariff and Republican administrations the trusts and criminal corporations have nearly reduced the individual to a negative quantity.

The most perfectly organized of the trusts, the Standard Oil company and the steel trust, have made it practically impossible for any individual or corporation to compete with them. They control their special commodities so completely that any competitor, in the real sense, is wiped out by predatory attacks, by cut prices and all the other devices of the commercial highwayman. Controlling the situation as they do, they make such prices as please them for raw materials and charge the maximum for the finished product. The public is as completely enslaved by them as if they held the nation in serfdom.

Similarly the tobacco trust, dominating the field absolutely, it has driven out or bought out competitors. It has exacted enormous profits on watered securities and brought into abject subjection every small dealer who handles its goods. At the same time it has reduced the price on the farmers' tobacco output until Kentucky has its night riders, enraged to desperation, and the tobacco grower is driven either into abandoning his only cash crop, or into combination with a criminal agree-

ment fighting commercial crime with assassination and arson.

Mr. Taft characterizes the desire, the intention to stop these abuses as "Socialistic." If he has studied the Social Science at all he knows that the Socialist delights in the ferment over the trusts, believing it is leading to a realization of his dreams. He foresees the day when, in sheer self-defense, the American will be driven to nationalization of his oil business, his tobacco business and all the other monopolies which now yield such rich spoils to the favored few. The Democracy, believing these criminals can be reached, as other criminals are, by the honest enforcement of laws designed to crush private monopoly, is working to make Socialism impossible by the restoration of the individual to his rights as a free man.

The issue and the facts are so well defined that the old cry of "Socialistic," as applied to any relief from the trusts, is useless. The trusts will have to abandon their criminal operations, because the people see the situation and will elect men who are bent on the protection of the individual citizen. The government is going to be restored to the people.

TRUST-BUSTING A FAILURE.

In its petition for a rehearing in the big Standard Oil case, the Roosevelt administration declares openly that, if the rehearing is denied, the laws of the country to regulate criminal corporations will be doomed to failure and the rebate provision of the Elkins law will be a dead letter.

Exactly so; and that was the intent of the men who framed the law and who, in the Chicago convention, defeated the plank calling for imprisonment of such criminals when convicted. Since Roosevelt's first hurrah raid on the rebaters, the Republicans have been pointing with pride to his alleged great achievements in behalf of the people and against the trusts. The beef trust got off with a fine and secured immunity from further prosecution. The fine was added to the cost of meat. The Standard Oil was convicted, fined \$29,000,000, and then protected from collection of the fine by the court of appeals. The steel trust, smilingly continues to rob the people at home and sell its products abroad cheaper than it does here. The harvest trust, the woolen goods trust, the tobacco trust, the salt trust and all the other trusts, big and little, wax and grow fat on the campaign talk of the Republican spellbinders, knowing that they are safe from anything but fines, and they are not even in much danger from fines.

The paper trust found a friend at court with Speaker Cannon, and got a lovely coat of whitewash from the special Cannon-Mann committee in congress. After Cannon had adjourned, the members of the trust were shocked to find they were under indictment in New York, with the evidence so strong they had to plead guilty to criminal conspiracy and pay a fine of \$2,000 apiece, about one day's illegal profits. The special organizer of the paper trust is a fugitive in Europe and the heads of the combination are still swearing by all that is holy in the tariff law that they are maligned and persecuted—but they are not afraid of the Republican administration.

Of course the attempt to bust the trusts is a failure under Republican direction. If the trusts were restrained to legitimate business operations, if they were compelled to accept a reasonable profit on actual investment, they wouldn't be able to finance Republican presidential campaigns, and that would be awkward for Taft et al.

The mere possibility of a fine for breaking the law will never deter the Standard Oil or any other great aggregation of capital from perpetuating its monopoly; but one monopolist sent to state's prison and stripes, or the certainty that the tariff on monopolized products would be reduced, might inject the fear of the law into the boldest of monopolies.

Anyway, it is worth trying, and it will never be tried until a Democratic administration takes charge.

One sweetly solemn thought comes to the average Republican as well as the Utah Democrat, Mr. Bryan will keep the senate in session long enough to confirm the cabinet nominations and there is ground for hope that the necessary changes will be made in the federal offices in this state on March 5th at the very least.

It's even money that Hughes won't be nominated in New York and the odds are at least 10 to 1 against him in case he is made the standard bearer. The Pharisee, the publican and the sinner are having a dickens of a time getting together this year.

All set. Mr. Kern has been notified and his speech filed in the memory of the public at large. On with the political dance.

John D. Rockefeller's imported pastor being ill, any little lapses from the divine injunction will have to be overlooked.

All over the west the cause of Democracy is gaining ground. Utah will be in the procession in November.

MASTER OF HIS FATE.

(Youth's Companion.)
It was the meeting of the baseball team in a new highland village, and the bus before it was the election of a captain for the coming season.
The matter was still undecided when the son of the owner of the ball field stood up. He was a small, snub-nosed lad, with a plentiful supply of freckles, but he looked about him with a decided show of dignity and confidence.
"I'm going to be captain this year," he said, convincingly. "or else father's old bull is going to be turned into the field." He was elected unanimously.

SOCIETY

The midweek luncheon at the Country club yesterday was among the most successful of the season. Mrs. William Phillips, Kiser entertained ten guests and Miss Addie Zane was hostess at a party of eight.

Also entertaining at the Country club yesterday was Miss Irene Hanson in honor of Miss Winnifred Phillips and Miss Marian Oberndorfer. Covers were laid for a party of eight.

Miss Helen Maynard entertained at a tea yesterday in honor of Miss Elizabeth Trask of Denver, who is the guest of Miss Minette Baer. Fifteen guests enjoyed the afternoon. Mrs. Russell Schuler poured tea, and also assisting the hostess were Miss Mary Smalley and Miss Irene Morrison.

Miss Carrie Snyder gave a luncheon for eight guests yesterday in honor of Miss Hazel Wimmer. Table decorations were pink and white sweet peas, and place cards were of pink and white.

Last evening George and William Igleheart entertained twenty guests in honor of Miss Rachel King of Portland, Ore., who is visiting Miss Rosamond Ritchie. The "barn dance," led by Miss Martha Johnston, was a feature of the evening.

Mrs. George Richard Smith entertained at a tea yesterday in honor of Mrs. William C. Mabry. About seventy-five guests gathered for the afternoon. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. A. H. Mayne and Miss Clifton Mayne. Decorations were in yellow, golden glow and sunflowers being used to carry out the color scheme.

Miss Libbie Cushing gave a 500 party of six tables yesterday afternoon. Prizes were taken by Miss Rene Redman and Miss Marie Rogawsky. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. C. E. Fiandro, Miss Annie Stains and Miss Marie Cushing. Decorations were of golden glow and sunflowers, and the tally cards were hand-painted in yellow daisies.

Miss Trask will be guest of honor at a bridge affair this afternoon given by Miss Irene Morrison.

Mrs. W. R. Butler will entertain at a luncheon at her home Friday in honor of Mrs. Louise Sumner and Miss Butler of St. Louis, who are the guests of their sister, Mrs. M. A. Daugherty.

Miss Merle Lynch will entertain this afternoon in honor of Miss Hazel Wimmer.

Miss Mary Van Houten and J. Fred Anderson were quietly married at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary J. Van Houten, 438 East Eleventh South street. Dr. W. M. Paden officiated at the ceremony, which was witnessed by only the families and intimate friends. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will make their home in the city.

Mrs. R. R. Bittinger, who has been spending the summer months in Colorado, has returned to the city and is at home at No. 14 Bransford apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Putnam and sons, John and Lawrence, are expected to arrive in the city Friday, to spend a few days with Mrs. E. E. Lamson. Mrs. Putnam and John will leave Monday for Montreal, and will sail later for Europe to spend a year in travel and study.

Paul Belcher, who has been spending the past four weeks in San Francisco and Los Angeles, returned yesterday to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shoemaker are at Upper Falls resort for a short stay.

Miss Martha Alexander has returned from a two week's trip to Yellowstone park.

Dr. Ned Hewitt, who has been spending a few weeks in San Francisco, returned Wednesday to the city.

Mrs. Pearl Siddoway, who has been visiting friends in the city for the past few weeks, leaves Thursday for southern California, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. I. R. Barton and Mrs. S. E. Badgley entertained at 500 yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Irene Armstrong. Decorations were in pink and white sweet peas and asters, and the tally cards were red hearts. The prizes were taken by Mrs. W. S. Armstrong and Miss Darlene Anderson.

Miss Emily M. Lusty and Ray A. Gayler were married last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lusty, on South Eleventh East street. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Iversen in the presence of the intimate friends of the families. The bride was attended by Miss Ruby Guiver and Miss Olive Lusty, and Alfred Guiver was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Gayler will be at home after Sept. 15 at 218 West Fourth South street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bowers and son, Carlos, leave today for a tour of several weeks in the east. Mr. Bowers is still suffering from the effects of a street car accident sustained three months ago, and makes the trip in the hope of recuperating his strength.

Miss Maude Elizabeth Phillips will arrive today from Los Angeles, to be the guest of Miss Mathilde Phillips.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

6763—Arthur Vance, Fairview.
Estella J. Nelson, Provo.
6764—A. G. Cheshire, Salt Lake.
Ruth E. Handley, Salt Lake.
6765—Harry Ford, Salt Lake.
Verna B. Lynn, Salt Lake.
6766—S. J. Stevens, Jackson, O.
Mabel J. Hillen, Salt Lake.
6767—Claude Q. Cannon, Salt Lake.
Emily C. Barnes, Kayaville.
6768—Joseph Cannon, Pocatello, Ida.
Ethel May Radcliffe, Salt Lake.
6769—Marines Gall, Salt Lake.
Marie T. Brown, Salt Lake.
6770—J. W. Flowers, Mill Creek.
Emma Nelson, Salt Lake.
6771—Joseph C. Duncan, Salt Lake.
Rowena Tietjen, Salt Lake.

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